

Arizona Women's Vest



SIZE
XS (S, M, L, XL)

INTERMEDIATE

4
MEDIUM

MATERIALS

Natura Medium Denim:

Color 07 Indigo—6 (6, 7, 7, 8) balls

Needles: US 8 (5mm) or size to obtain gauge

Notions: Stitch holders, yarn needle

GAUGE

15 sts x 20 rows = 4 x 4" (10.2 x 10.2cm) in Stockinette stitch

STITCH GUIDE

skp: Slip 1, k1, pass slipped st over the k st.

Garter Stitch: Knit every stitch every row.

St st (Stockinette Stitch):

Row 1 (RS): Knit all sts.

Row 2: Purl all sts.

7½ (8, 8½, 8¾, 9)"

[19 (20, 21, 22, 23)cm]

5¼ (5½, 5¾, 6, 6½)"

[13.5 (14, 14.5, 15, 15.5)cm]

2" (5cm)

6¼ (6¾, 7, 7½, 8)"

[16 (17, 18, 19, 20)cm]

13 (13½, 13¾, 14, 14½)"
[33 (34, 35, 36, 37)cm]

18 (19, 19½, 20½, 21)"

[46 (48, 50, 52, 54)cm]



INSTRUCTIONS

Back

Cast on 69 (72, 75, 78, 81) sts and work 4 rows in Garter st—approximately ¾" (2cm) from the cast on edge.

Continue to work even with the first and last 4 sts in Garter st and the center sts in St st for 3½" (8cm).

Work even until piece measures 13¾ (14⅓, 14⅔, 15, 15⅓)" [35 (36, 37, 38, 39)cm] from the cast on edge.

Armhole

Bind off 3 sts at the beginning of the next 2 rows.

Work 3 sts on either side in Garter st to form sleeve placket at armhole edges.

Maintain this placket until reaching the shoulder decreases.

Decrease Row: K3, skp, knit to the last 5 sts, K2tog, K3.

Repeat the Decrease Row 3 more times. 49 (52, 55, 58, 61) sts remain.

Work even maintaining the 3 Garter sts at either side for the sleeve placket.

When the piece measures 20 (20%, 21%, 22%, 23%)" [51 (53, 55, 57, 59)cm] from the cast on edge, begin to work the neckline as follows:

Neckline

Knit the first 18 (19, 20, 21, 22) sts and place them on a stitch holder. Bind off the center 13 (14, 15, 16, 17) sts and knit the remaining sts. Purl the next row.

At the neckline edge, bind off 2 sts and continue to work in St st. Work this 2 sts bind off at the neckline edge a total of 4 times. 10 (11, 12, 13, 14) sts remain.

Shoulder

Once these neckline decreases are completed, begin binding off for the shoulder.

From the outer (opposite to the neckline) edge, bind off every other row as follows: 5 sts twice (6 sts, then 5 sts, 6 sts twice, 7 sts, then 6 sts, 7 sts twice). Bind off the remaining sts. Replace the stitches on the stitch holder onto the knitting needles and reattach the yarn. Repeat the instructions for the opposite shoulder mirroring the shaping.

Front

Work the same as the Back with the following exception:

Cast on as for the BACK and work the Garter Stitch border. You will skip the instructions for the portion with the 4 Garter st on either side of the

St st as the front is shorter than the back. Work even in St st over all sts until piece measures 10¾ (11, 11½, 11¾, 12½)" [27 (28, 29, 30, 31)cm] from the cast on edge.

FINISHING

Seam one shoulder edge front to back. With RS facing, pick up and knit a total of 92 (94, 96, 102, 104) sts along the neckline front and back.

Work 4 rows in Garter st. Bind off all sts.

Seam the open shoulder and neckline edges. Center the sleeves along the shoulders and sew in position. Seam the sides and underarms.

